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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/FO/US)

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	NATIONAL APPLICATION NO. P2004/000908	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE January 30, 2004	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED January 30, 2003 and November 17, 2003							
	OF INVENTION AL DISK AND ITS MANUFACTUR	ING METHOD								
	CANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US o KINOSHITA et al.									
Applic	ant herewith submits to the United State	es Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the f	ollowing items and other information:							
1. 🛛	This is a FIRST submission of ite	ms concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C.	371.							
2. 🗆	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
3. 🖾	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.									
4. 🗆	The US has been elected (Article	31).								
5. 🛛	a. is attached hereto (requb. has been communicated	ation as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) ired only if not communicated by the Intendicated by the Intendicated by the International Bureau. pplication was filed in the United States								
6. ⊠	a. 🛛 is attached hereto.	of the International Application as filed (3 mitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).							
7. 🗆	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made.									
9. 🛛	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)). An cath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).									
Items	11 to 20 below concern docume	ent(s) or information included:								
11. 🛛	An Information Disclosure Statem	nent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12. 🛛		ording. A separate cover sheet in complia	ance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is							
13. 🗆	included. A preliminary amendment.									
14. 🗀	An Application Data Sheet under	37 CFR 1.76.								
15. 🔲	A substitute specification.									
16. 🗆	A power of attorney and/or chang	e of address letter.								
17. 🗆	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter. 2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.									
18. 🔲	A second copy of the published in	nternational application under 35 U.S.C.	154(d)(4).							
19. 🗀	A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).									

20. ☑ Other items or information: WO 2004/068483 A1, international Search Report (Form PCT/ISA/210), Form

PCT/RO/101, Form PCT/ISA/220, Form PCT/RO/101, Form PCT/IB/301, 304, 308.

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